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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of 2-month(s) (from January 5, 2006 to March 6, 2006, March 5 being a Saturday) within which to respond to the Office Action dated October 5, 2005.

A check in the amount of \$225 for the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 50-2319 (Order No. A-71927/ENB (465687-5)).

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